



## GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA OFFICE OF POLICE COMPLAINTS

### VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

**POSITION TITLE:** Investigator

**STARTING SALARY:** \$41,923 - \$55,382 with benefits.  
Salary is based on education and experience.

**POSTED:** September 15, 2009

**CLOSING DATE:** Open until filled.

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### **INTRODUCTION:**

The Office of Police Complaints (OPC) is a District of Columbia government agency that receives, investigates and resolves police misconduct complaints filed by the public against officers of the Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) and D.C. Housing Authority Police Department (DCHAPD). OPC is headed by an executive director, and overseen by the Police Complaints Board (PCB), a five-member board appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by District of Columbia Council. The agency currently has 20 full-time employees.

OPC is seeking candidates for the investigator position. Under the direction of a supervisor, individuals investigate citizen allegations of excessive force, harassment, discrimination and other types of misconduct.

**DUTIES:** planning investigations; interviewing and taking statements from complainants, witnesses, and police officers; gathering and analyzing evidence; and writing investigative reports.

### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

Bachelor's degree, strong writing ability, and excellent interpersonal skills are required.

Applicants are not required to have prior investigative experience.

Applicants with foreign language skills are strongly encouraged to apply.

District residency preferred, but not mandatory.

### **APPLICATIONS:**

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Please fax a cover letter and resume to (202) 727-7638 or mail to:

Investigator Vacancy  
Office of Police Complaints  
1400 I Street, NW, Suite 700  
Washington, DC 20005

Due to the large volume of applications, please do not contact the agency to inquire about the status of an application.

The District of Columbia Government is an Equal Opportunity Employer. All qualified candidates will receive consideration without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age, marital status, personal appearance, sexual orientation, family responsibilities, matriculation, physical handicap, or political affiliation.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

For more information about OPC, please visit the agency's website:

[www.policecomplaints.dc.gov](http://www.policecomplaints.dc.gov)